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The settlement is unfair. Microsoft has used its monopoly power to destroy competitors and has set back the field of computing years.

I am on a project that used XML. We have found that integrating with Wordperfect and all other wordprocessing programs has only taken a fourth of the time that integrating with Microsoft's word product.

The product is built to make it deliberately difficult to integrate with it. This makes it difficult for competing products to provide Word compatibility.

I believe that Windows should be put in the public domain and that Microsoft should be barred from further purchases.

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